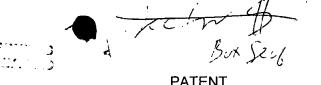
5405-232DV Attorne



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Amalfitano et al.

Group: 1633

Serial No.: 09/972.794 Filed: October 5, 2001

DELETED ADENOVIRUS VECTORS AND METHODS OF MAKING

AND ADMINISTERING THE SAME

Date: December 21, 2001

BOX MISSING PARTS Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF FILING A **SEQUENCE LISTING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.821(f)**

Sir:

I hereby state that the content of the paper and computer readable copies of the Sequence listing, submitted concurrently herewith in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.821(c) and (e), are the same. I also hereby state as required by 37 CFR § 1.821(h) that the paper and computer readable copies contain no new matter, nor do they go beyond the disclosure of the application as filed.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen A. Magri

Registration No. 41,965

Customer Number:

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Box Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20731, on December 21, 2001.

Traci A. Brown

Date of Signature: December 21, 2001

DISK TO

DATE: